# ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION Division of Spill Prevention and Response

### Prevention and Emergency Response Program

### SITUATION REPORT

INCIDENT NAME: EAFB Product Recovery Tank Spill SITREP #: 1

**SPILL NUMBER**: 04239904301 **LEDGER CODE**: Requested

TIME/DATE OF SPILL: 12:08 AM, February 12, 2004, EAFB contacted trooper dispatch at 3:32 AM, February 12, 2004

12, 2004.

TIME/DATE OF SITUATION REPORT: 2:00 PM, February 12, 2004,

TIME/DATE OF THE NEXT REPORT: 12:00 PM, February 13, 2004

<u>TYPE/AMOUNT OF PRODUCT SPILLED</u>: JP-8 Jet Fuel, a kerosene-based fuel, EAFB estimates 8814 gallons spilled.

**LOCATION**: West Ramp Pumphouse Building 13196, EAFB

**CAUSE OF SPILL**: Currently under investigation by EAFB and ADEC's PERP and Industry Preparedness and Prevention Program.

**POTENTIAL RESPONSIBLE PARTY (PRP)**: Elmendorf Air Force Base

<u>RESPONSE ACTION</u>: ADEC responders from PERP and IPPP met with Elmendorf Air Force Base (EAFB) fire department and Civil Engineering spill team leads at approximately 8:30 AM this morning. Jet fuel had migrated to a surface depression. EAFB had deployed absorbent boom to contain the fuel spill in this area preventing the migration of fuel and ultimately aiding free product recovery efforts

EAFB hired Emerald Services of Alaska (Emerald) to assist in the response and recovery effort. EAFB and Emerald vacuum and fuel recovery trucks have recovered about 500 gallons of free product. The mechanical and manual removal of contaminated snow will be initiated today along with fuel recovery operations. Emerald will transport contaminated snow to their facility and stockpile it within lined containment. Emerald will then process the snow, recovering fuel and properly disposing of associated melt water.

**SOURCE CONTROL**: EAFB manually activated the emergency shut down at the pumphouse after the supply fuels control center indicated an overfill at the product recovery tank. The fuel trucks are not to be loaded until a diagnostic has been run on the system.

**RESOURCES AFFECTED**: Gravel pad, fuel covered approximately 1,000 square feet of gravel surface outside the pumphouse.

<u>FUTURE PLANS AND RECOMMENDATIONS</u>: EAFB hired Western Solutions to delineate and remove contaminated soils after removal of snow and ice is completed. Staffs from ADEC IPPP are to coordinate with EAFB to ensure appropriate prevention measures are implemented as necessary.

**WEATHER**: Clear and calm, 20 degrees F.

#### **UNIFIED COMMAND AND PERSONNEL:**

Incident Commander: John Mahaffey, Civil Engineering Squadron

F.O.S.C.:

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EAFB Fuel Recovery of Jet Fuel with vacuum truck.